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SOME RECENT CHANGES IN OUR KNOWLEDGE OF BIRD DISTRIBUTION IN EAST AFRICA

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INTRODUCTION

It occurred to me during discussions with other East African ornithologists in the last few years that there was a real need for an annual bird report structured along the lines of the county bird reports of Great Britain. Many distributional records are being denied public access because the observer lacks a medium for communication (*vide* M6). The *Bulletin* of the East Africa Natural History Society partly serves this need in that first records and other rarities can be put into print. The now defunct *Uganda Bird Newsletter* of the Uganda Society was also useful whilst it lasted. It was the suggestion of J. S. S. Beesley (*in litt.*) that before such a regular report could be at all meaningful, the standard work on the distribution of East African birds, *i.e.* C. W. Mackworth-Praed & C. H. B. Grant 1957, 1960, *African Handbook of Birds*, Series I, vol. 1 & 2, *Birds of Eastern and North Eastern Africa*¹ (subsequently referred to as M1) should be brought up to date. Since the publication of that work our knowledge of the distribution of a considerable number of species has been radically changed. In some cases this is due to an actual change of range, but in most cases it is due to an increase in knowledge. One hundred species are now recorded from Kenya which were not recorded in M1, 42 from Tanzania, and 110 from Uganda. Also, two new species and nine subspecies have been described from Kenya, nine subspecies from Tanzania, and three subspecies from Uganda. Most of these records are scattered widely throughout the literature and not of easy access to the layman, particularly those published in the United States. The purpose of this paper is to bring all this information together. It includes all extensions of forms across international boundaries, or from one major geographical area to another, or from one area to another *ca.* 150 km distant or more.

Where the taxonomy of more recent works, particularly H2 and W2-7, differs from M1 I have usually followed the later publications, unless my own studies, or those of my colleagues have persuaded me otherwise. Taxonomic divisions, from family downwards, are in alphabetical order.

All records that came to my notice, whether sight only, or supported by more substantial evidence, have been included. The reader may make his own judgements. To make a purely subjective assessment and to omit certain records is retrogressive and would defeat scientific purpose. Where I have been unable to obtain confirmation of second-hand reports, or where a report is rather vague or non-specific, or where the observer himself expresses a certain degree of doubt, I have enclosed the record in brackets.

¹This is the Second Edition. A few of the bird species given in the Systematic List with Mackworth-Praed & Grant numbering will not be found in the First Edition of this out-of-print work.

I have not personally commented on the validity or otherwise of new forms, and their inclusion does not indicate my acceptance or rejection.

I had originally intended to include all new knowledge on breeding distribution, but I later decided to omit this as the East Africa Natural History Society Nest Record Scheme will eventually publish its findings (P. L. Britton pers.comm.).

General geographical areas are given with each locality so as to dispense with the need for a large and cumbersome gazetteer. The exact map references for the vast majority of the localities will be found in the gazetteers of the three countries published by the United States Government, Department of the Interior.

I have departed from the normal method of presenting references in order to conserve space. The letter, from A to Z, is the initial letter of the author's (or the first author's, if more than one) surname. References with the same letter are listed together in order, firstly alphabetically, and then by date of publication, in the bibliography.

SYSTEMATIC LIST

The numbers against each species are those found in Mr. The letters K, T & U signify Kenya, Tanzania and Uganda respectively. An asterisk (*) against any of these letters indicates that the species was not recorded from that country in Mr.

- 3 *PODICEPS CASPICUS* BLACK-NECKED GREBE
 *U Queen Elizabeth National Park: one in breeding plumage, January 1969, M. P. L. Fogden (*in litt.* to G. C. Backhurst).
- DOMEDEA MELANOPHRIS* BLACK-BROWED ALBATROSS
 *K Mombasa: one on 30 June 1955, B6.
- 6 *HYDROBATES LEUCORHOA* LEACH'S PETREL
 *K Tiwi River, Coast: 8 February 1969, P1.
- 7 *OCEANITES OCEANICUS* WILSON'S PETREL
 (*K Watamu, Coast: L. H. Brown (*in litt.*) believes he saw one *ca.* 7 km off shore on 8 & 23 April 1969.)
- 15 *MACRONECTES GIGANTEUS* GIANT PETREL
 *K Shimon, Coast: recorded once by E. Risley (pers.comm. to A. D. Forbes-Watson.)
- 9 *PUFFINUS LHERMINIERI* PERSIAN GULF SHEARWATER
 *K Limuru, near Nairobi: one dead 18 October 1963, M21. Mida Creek, Coast: one or more seen, 31 December 1972, B24.
- 18 *PHAETON LEPTURUS* WHITE-TAILED TROPIC BIRD
 *T Coast: at least two following a boat north of Mafia Island on 22 November 1972, M12.
- 25 *PHALACROCORAX CARBO* CORMORANT
 U Kazinga Channel, Lake Edward: new subspecies, *patricki*, W14.
 T Mwanza: one *patricki* in breeding dress in February 1971, W. G. Harvey (*in litt.*).
- 29 *FREGATA MINOR* GREAT FRIGATE-BIRD
 (K Coast: a number of frigate-birds, presumably this species, recorded in 1970, 1971 and 1972; C12, C13, M10, M12 & N1.)
 *T Dar es Salaam: October 1951, M20.
 (probable adult ♀ 27 June 1972, H11.)
 (Tanga: probable, 9 January 1971, M10.)
- 41 *EGRETTA SCHISTACEE* REEF HERON
 *K Coast: south to Lamu, J1; Kikambala, P. L. Britton (pers.comm.) and personal observations.
 Near Kisumu: P. L. Britton (pers.comm.).
 Ferguson's Gulf, Lake Rudolf: W15.
 *T Dar es Salaam and Tanga: April & December, personal observations.
 *U Nile, up to Lake Albert at Butiaba, J1.
- 52 *BOTAURUS STELLARIS* BITTERN
 (*T & *U Palaearctic nominate race claimed for both countries, but records not confirmed. Those in southern Tanzania are almost certainly *capensis* (Schlegel); the Uganda record—Laropi, 24 April 1948—could be either, B5.)
- 54 *BALAENICEPS REX* WHALE-HEADED STORK
 *K Yala Swamp, Nyanza Province: I. Parker (pers.comm. to A.D. Forbes-Watson).
 *T Malagarasi Swamp, near Lake Tanganyika: A. Graham (pers.comm. to A. D. Forbes-Watson).
- 69 *PLATALEA LEUCORODIA* SPOONBILL
 *K Records summarised in B5.
 *U Pakwach: one seen 15 March 1964, K4.
- 81 *ANAS SMITHII* CAPE SHOVELER
 (K No authentic records, W7.)
- 85 *ANAS STREPERA* GADWALL
 *T Ngorongoro Crater: 3, 18 December 1964, B5.
- 76 *AYTHYA FERINA* POCHARD
 *T Arusha National Park: ♀, 2 January 1971, B9.
 *U Queen Elizabeth National Park: December 1969 and 1970, M. P. L. Fodgen (*in litt.* to G. C. Backhurst).
- ACCIPITER CASTANILIUS* CHESTNUT-FLANKED GOSHAWK
 *U Bwamba: ♂ collected on 1 April 1963, F7 and F15.
- 169 *ACCIPITER NISUS* EUROPEAN SPARROWHAWK
 (*U Kidepo National Park: recorded in 1966, but no supporting details given, E2.)
- 140 *AQUILA CLANGA* GREATER SPOTTED EAGLE
 *K A number of records summarised in B5.
- 137 *AQUILA HELIACA* IMPERIAL EAGLE
 *K Yatta Plains, E. Kenya: February or March 1962, B5. Ngulia, Tsavo West National Park: 4 December 1969, B5.
 *T Olduvai, Northern Tanzania: 20 January 1970, B5.

- 138 *AQUILA RAPAX ORIENTALIS* STEPPE EAGLE
 *U Mt. Kadam, Karamoja: one seen in March 1967, M2.
 Queen Elizabeth National Park: a few records, M. P. L. Fogden (*in litt.* to G. C. Backhurst).
 *T Arusha National Park: Bro.
 Serengeti National Park: common during Palaearctic winter, numerous observers.
- 136 *AQUILA VERREAUXI* VERREAUX'S EAGLE
 *U Karamoja: C. R. S. Pitman (*in litt.*) informs me that he knew of several pairs.
 Kidepo National Park: E2.
- 168 *BUTEO AUGURALIS* RED-NECKED BUZZARD
 *U Karuma Falls, Victoria Nile: several individuals during winters of 1962-1963 and 1963-1964. Up to four birds on one visit, K4.
- 166 *BUTEO RUFINUS* LONG-LEGGED BUZZARD
 *K Loiengalani, Lake Rudolf: ♀ collected on 6 November 1958, O3.
 Near Longonot, Rift Valley: one seen on 23 November 1966, B5.
 W15 states that it is an 'uncommon winter visitor to Northern Kenya and Karamoja' (Uganda).
 *U Queen Elizabeth National Park: one 30 December 1968, M. P. L. Fogden (*in litt.* to G. C. Backhurst).
 Debasien Game Reserve, Karamoja: one 29 December 1971, R9.
- 155 *CIRCAETUS BEAUDOUINI* BEAUDOUIN'S HARRIER-EAGLE
 *K Nyanza: recorded hybridising with *C. pectoralis* near Kisumu, B20. Regular at Ukwala and occasional at Lake Kanyaboli, P. L. Britton (*in litt.*).
 *U Toroma, Teso District: adult ♀ collected, 16 February 1965, V2.
- 156 *CIRCAETUS FASCIOLATUS* SOUTHERN BANDED HARRIER-EAGLE
 *K Coast, Kilifi to Lamu: R7 and Z3. Breeding, B21 and Z2.
- 152 *CIRCAETUS GALLICUS* SHORT-TOED HARRIER-EAGLE
 *K Loiengalani, Lake Rudolf: ♀ collected 27 October 1958, O3.
 *U Apoka, Kidepo Valley, Karamoja: one seen 24 December 1971, R9.
- 162 *GYPÆTUS BARBATUS* LAMMERGEYER
 *U Karamoja: previously seven pairs along the western scarp of the Rift Valley, C. R. S. Pitman (*in litt.*). Recorded from Kidepo uplands in 1966, E2.
- 148 *HIERAAETUS AFRICANUS* CASSIN'S HAWK EAGLE
 *U Impenetrable Forest, Kigezi: recorded at 2300 m, K5, K7 and personal observations.
 Kalinzu Forest, Ankole: collected in November 1969, F13.
- 125 *FALCO ALOPEX* FOX KESTREL
 *K Turkana: extreme north, W11 & W16; Central Island, Lake Rudolf, A. J. Hopkins (pers.comm.).
 W. Pokot: Kacheliba, W16.
 *U Karamoja: recorded from two localities, M2.
- 120 *FALCO AMURENSIS* EASTERN RED-FOOTED FALCON
 *U Kampala: ♀ on Makerere Hill in April 1965, M9.
- 127 *FALCO ARDOSIACEUS* GREY KESTREL
 *K Western and Nyanza Provinces: J1, R7, P. L. Britton (pers.comm.) and personal observations.
- 118 *FALCO CONCOLOR* SOOTY FALCON
 *U Murchison Falls National Park and Masindi: Numerous, April 1967, M9. Previously known only as far west as Ukerewe Island, Lake Victoria, Tanzania, M16.
- 117 *FALCO ELEONORAE* ELEONORA'S FALCON
 (*K Possible records from Naivasha and Lake Nakuru are detailed in B5.)
 *T Records summarised in B5 with an additional possible record in C7 and two more records in H14.
- 114 *FALCO FASCIINUCHA* TAITA FALCON
 K Kabarnet: one, mid March 1970, M9.
 Lake Magadi: four together, 19 April 1970, M9.
 Lokitaung, N. Turkana: W16.
 Amboseli: W16.
 These records extend the known range in Kenya from Taita Hills and Malindi.
- T Kingolwira, near Morogoro: ♀ collected 4 February 1962, R8.
 Kilimanjaro: east side, J. S. S. Beesley, (*in litt.*)
 The only locality in M1 is Crater Highlands, N. Tanzania.
- 112b *FALCO PELEGRINOIDES* BARBARY FALCON
 *K Loiengalani, Lake Rudolf: ♀ collected from two birds on 4 November 1958, O3.
- 124 *FALCO RUPICOLIDES* WHITE-EYED KESTREL
 *U S. Karamoja: two together, 15 September 1965, M2.
- 119 *FALCO VESPERTINUS* RED-FOOTED FALCON
 *K Elmentaita: ♂ 12 October 1968, B5.
 *T Rukwa: ♀ mid April 1955, B5.
 *U Moroto: 3 ♂ early May 1966, M2.

- 206 *FRANCOLINUS JACKSONI* JACKSON'S FRANCOLIN
K New subspecies, *patriciae*, from Cherangani Mountains, W. Kenya, above 3000 m, R7.
- 209 *FRANCOLINUS RUFOPICTUS* GREY-BREADED SPURFOWL
(U Not given in B3, F2 or W7 for Uganda, although it is recorded in M1. As I have been unable to trace any records it is probably advisable to remove this species from the Uganda list.)
- 217 *GUTTERA EDOUARDI* CRESTED GUINEA-FOWL
T Kungwe-Mahali Mountains: extension of race *seth-smithi* from Zaire and Uganda, U1.
- 367 *ORTYXELOS MEIFFRENI* QUAIL PLOVER
K Extension from northern Kenya to Baringo, J1, and Voi, B14.
- 220 *CANIRALLUS OCULEUS* GREY-THROATED RAIL
(U Recorded from Bwamba in M1. This west Uganda record is apparently based on a sight record which is considered dubious by J. G. Williams (pers.comm. to A. D. Forbes-Watson)).
- HIMANTORNIS HAEMATOPUS* NKULENGA RAIL
*U Ntandi, Bwamba, west Uganda: ♂ taken from two birds, 2 December 1968, F15.
- 229 *PORZANA PARVA* LITTLE CRAKE
(*K Recorded, with no details of date or locality in M17.)
- 244 *BALEARICA PAVONINA* CROWNED CRANE
*K Lake Rudolf: obtained in 1959, O2.
*U Dufie, Albert Nile: J1.
Pakwach, Albert Nile: two in March 1964, K4.
Murchison Falls National Park, Victoria Nile: two, October 1963; one or two up to end of spring 1964, K4.
- 257 *EUPODOTIS RUFICRISTATUS* BUFF-CRESTED BUSTARD
*U Karamoja: W7 and personal observations.
- 256 *EUPODOTIS SENEGALENSIS* SENEGAL BUSTARD
*U Karamoja: a number of records, M2.
- 269 *CHARADRIUS ALEXANDRINUS* KENTISH PLOVER
*K Excluded from the avifauna of this country in B5. However, there is a recent record from Ferguson's Gulf, Lake Rudolf, on 19 March 1972, F17.
(T Excluded from the avifauna of this country in B5.)
- 275 *CHARADRIUS LESCHENAUILLII* GREATER SAND-PLOVER
*U Entebbe Airport: one, 25 September 1966, P5.
- 270 *CHARADRIUS PALLIDUS* CHESTNUT-BANDED SAND-PLOVER
K Range extended from Lake Magadi to Lake Nakuru (breeding) C11; and Lake Baringo, E3.
*U Katwe Salt Lake, Queen Elizabeth National Park: one seen by Pitman in October 1948, C4.
- 278 *PLUVIALIS DOMINICUS* EASTERN GOLDEN PLOVER
*K South of Mombasa: one at end of 1961, L1.
Malindi: one from late December 1969 to early January 1970, B5.
- 290 *VANELLUS ALBICEPS* WHITE-HEADED PLOVER
*U Murchison Falls National Park: has been recorded, M. P. L. Fogden (*in litt.* to G. C. Backhurst).
- 287 *VANELLUS ARMATUS* BLACKSMITH PLOVER
(*U Kidepo National Park: recorded in savanna country in 1966, but no details given, E2.)
- 291 *VANELLUS SENEGALLUS* WATTLED PLOVER
(T M1 infers that it occurs in this country in the statement 'Central Uganda to the Zambezi River'. I can trace no actual records for the country, and it is excluded in B3, J1 & W7.)
- 288 *VANELLUS SUPERCILIOSUS* BROWN-CHESTED WATTLED-PLOVER
*T Lake Katavi, near Mpanda: once recorded, J. S. S. Beesley (*in litt.*) Seronera, Serengeti National Park: one collected on 28 November 1962 is in the National Museum Nairobi.
- 304 *CALIDRIS ALPINA* DUNLIN
*K Ferguson's Gulf, Lake Rudolf: several, 28 March 1970, B5.
(T No satisfactory record, B5.)
- 307 *CALIDRIS CANUTUS* KNOT
*K Kiunga, Coast: one 16-17 September 1961, F1 (see B5).
(T Dar es Salaam: three, 17 November 1970, H 6.
- CALIDRIS SUBMINUTA* LONG-TOED STINT
*K Lake Naivasha: one collected, 27 April 1969, B4.
Lake Nakuru: one ringed, 9 May 1970, B5.
- 307B *LIMICOLA FALCINELLUS* BROAD-BILLED SANDPIPER
*K Ferguson's Gulf, Lake Rudolf: one, 2 September 1972, H16.
*T Kazima Dam, near Tabora: one, 5 November 1961, R1.
Dar es Salaam: one, 2 August 1971, H8.
*U Queen Elizabeth National Park: one collected by J. M. Lock on 27 February 1964 is in the National Museum, Nairobi.
- LIMNODROMUS SEMIPALMATUS* ASIATIC DOWITCHER
*K Lake Nakuru: one, 20-21 November 1966, S2.

- (320) *LIMOSA LAPPONICA* BAR-TAILED GODWIT
 *U Appears in the list of birds recorded in Queen Elizabeth Park, but no details are given, in A2.)
- (319) *LIMOSA LIMOSA* BLACK-TAILED GODWIT
 *U As with the species above, this is listed as recorded in Queen Elizabeth, and in Murchison Falls National Parks, in A2, but with no details.)
- 301 *GALLINAGO STENURA* PINTAIL SNIPE
 *K Lake Naivasha: one ringed, 1 January 1969, B1.
- 316 *TRINGA ERYTHROPUS* SPOTTED REDSHANK
 *K Many records summarised in B5.
 *T Numerous records listed in B5.
 *U Records from Kampala and Queen Elizabeth National Park summarised in M2.
- TRINGA FLAVIPES* LESSER YELLOWLEGS
 *U Queen Elizabeth National Park: one seen in Kazinga Channel on 17 January 1964, K4. The first occurrence in Africa.
- 324 *PHALAROPUS FULICARIUS* GREY PHALAROPE
 *K Two records from Lake Nakuru, and one from Lake Elementaita in B5.
 A more recent record is of one at Ferguson's Gulf, Lake Rudolf, on 12/13 April 1972; P. L. Britton and personal observation.
- 323 *PHALAROPUS LOBATUS* RED-NECKED PHALAROPE
 *K A number of records from Lake Nakuru and the Coast are given in B5.
 More recently, two were seen at Ferguson's Gulf, Lake Rudolf, on 13 April 1972; P. L. Britton and personal observation.
 *T Kazima Dam, near Tabora: one, 10 October 1962, R1.
 *U Queen Elizabeth National Park: ♀ collected on 14 September 1964 by J. M. Lock is in the National Museum, Nairobi.
- 328 *CURSURIUS CINCTUS* HEUGLIN'S COURSER
 *U Recorded in the north-eastern part of the country in E2, J1 & W7.
- 331 *GLAREOLA NORDMANNI* BLACK-WINGED PRATINCOLE
 *K Between Lessos and Kaptagat, Uasin Gishu: one dead on 12 October 1969, M4.
- 334 *PLUVIANUS AEGYPTIUS* EGYPTIAN PLOVER
 *K Lake Rudolf: one seen between Todenyang and Namaraputh on 8 August 1971, G1.
STERCORARIUS LONGICAUDUS LONG-TAILED SKUA
 *K Ferguson's Gulf, Lake Rudolf: one seen on 25/26 August 1961, B5.
- 337 *STERCORARIUS PARASITICUS* ARCTIC SKUA
 *K Casuarina Point, Malindi: one seen 9 April 1966, B2.
- 336 *STERCORARIUS SKUA* GREAT SKUA
 *K Kiunga, Coast: one seen on 6 August 1961 was thought to be of the race *intercedens*, F1.
- 339 *LARUS ARGENTATUS* HERRING GULL
 *T Dar es Salaam: recorded between December and February 1958/59 and/or 1959/60, B5. One from 22 to 24 December 1972, H15. (Possibly up to 10 from November 1972 to March 1973. The observer was unable to tell if the birds were members of a dark-backed race of this species e.g. *heuglini*, or of the pale-backed race of *L. fuscus*, i.e. *graelisii* H13.)
 *U Two seen (locality ?) between 6 August and 29 November 1950, A1.
 One adult at Entebbe on 5 April 1972, F5.
- 346 *LARUS BRUNNICEPHALUS* BROWN-HEADED GULL
 *T Ngorongoro Crater: 2, 21 February 1969, V1.
- 341 *LARUS GENEI* SLENDER-BILLED GULL
 *T Lake Manyara: adult, 28 March 1971, W1. (N.B. see also *L. ridibundus*)
- 343 *LARUS ICHTHYAETUS* GREAT BLACK-BACKED GULL
 *U Entebbe: immature present from 16 April–25 September 1966, M2 & P4.
- 345 *LARUS RIDIBUNDUS* BLACK-HEADED GULL
 *K Six records were detailed in B5.
 In early 1972 small numbers, and flocks (up to 30) appeared on the Kenya coast. In March & April of that year they were recorded at Lake Rudolf. Later in 1972, and in 1973 this species was present in varying numbers at Athi River, Nairobi National Park and Lake Nakuru, (many observers). In January 1974 50–60 were present at Lessos Dam (personal observation).
 *T Dar es Salaam: first recorded during the last few days of December 1971 when 14 were present. By February 1972 over 550 were present. At least 6 stayed throughout the summer, and by February 1973 the flock had built up to 250; H9, H13.
 Small numbers were also recorded in January and February 1972 at Kondoa Mbuga, Arusha National Park and Ngorongoro Crater, H13.
 *U Queen Elizabeth National Park: recorded in A2 with no details given.
 Kibanga Port, Lake Victoria: adult, 28 March 1971, F5.
 Lake Bisina, Teso District: 2 second year birds on 31 December 1971 and 1 January 1972, R9.
 There has been considerable dispute as to the identity of some of these gulls, and it has been

suggested that some or all of those seen in Kenya and Tanzania were *L. genei*. This obfuscation arose from certain observers finding the birds atypical of *ridibundus* in some characteristics, particularly bill, head shape and head markings. (See particularly F16 and P6.) However, many observers are now quite satisfied that most, if not all, of those examined at close quarters are *ridibundus*. (It could perhaps be mentioned that *L.r.sibiricus* from Kamchatka and eastern Siberia, considered synonymous with the nominate in V2, has a slightly longer bill than *ridibundus* from the British Isles. One of the differences between *genei* and *ridibundus* is that the former has a longer bill.)

- 363 *ANOUS STOLIDUS* NODDY
 *K Breeds on islets off the coast, and has been recorded at many points along the coast, many observers.
 *T Latham Island: large numbers recorded, November 1972, M12. (No further details supplied.)
- 357 *STERNA ALBIFRONS* LITTLE TERN
 K Lake Rudolf: race *saundersi* recorded at a number of points on the lake shore, many observers.
 It was previously known only from the coast.
- 362 *STERNA HYBRIDA* WHISKERED TERN
 *U Soroti: one, mid September 1966, M5.
 Lake Bisina: one, 6 November 1971, R9.
 Queen Elizabeth National Park: unspecified records, R9.
- 353 *STERNA REPRESSA* WHITE-CHEEKED TERN
 *T Coastal areas, including Zanzibar & Pemba, W15. I have not been able to trace any definitive records for this country.
- 354 *STERNA SANDVICENSIS* SANDWICH TERN
 *T Dar es Salaam: 2 on 10 July 1972, H10.
- 383 *COLUMBA DELEGORGEI* BRONZE-NAPED PIGEON
 T Range extended from Usambara Mts. and Mt. Cholo to Uluguru Mts., R8.
- 376 *COLUMBA LIVIA* FERAL PIGEON
 *K Established in many towns, personal observations.
 *U Introduced and established in Kampala, F6.
 In both countries the populations concerned are of domestic origin showing many different colour patterns.
- COLUMBA MALHERBI* GABON BRONZE-NAPED PIGEON
 *U Bwamba: reported heard sometime between 1961 and 1963, K4.
 Impenetrable Forest: the race *iriditorques* collected at 1700 m in the Itama area in June, F15.
- 389 *STREPTOPELIA REICHENOWI* WHITE-WINGED DOVE
 *K Murri Daud River: two collected on 27 July 1957 are in the National Museum, Nairobi.
- 372 *PTEROCLES GUTTURALIS* YELLOW-THROATED SANDGROUSE
 *U Kidepo National Park: recorded in 1966, E2.
- 454 *AGAPORNIS FISCHERI* FISCHER'S LOVEBIRD
 *K Escapes from captivity established at Lake Naivasha (where there is much hybridisation with *A. personata*), C8, and Mombasa area, M11.
 A male collected (from a group of eight or ten) near Isiolo on 27 December 1965 by R. D. Seed showed no signs of captivity, Z1.
- 455 *AGAPORNIS PERSONATA* YELLOW-COLLARED LOVEBIRD
 *K Introduced birds breeding in a restricted area of Nairobi, C8; Naivasha (see above). Also recorded from Mombasa area, M11. There is an early record of a presumed wild bird collected at Taveta by van Someren, Jr.
- 444 *POICEPHALUS GULIELMI* RED-HEADED PARROT
 *U Impenetrable Forest: recorded regularly, August 1971, M7.
- 450 *PSITTACULA KRAMERI* ROSE-RINGED PARAKEET
 *K Introduced birds (subspecies unknown) breeding in Nairobi National Park, C8.
 Pair recorded south of Mombasa on 24 August 1971, H3.
 The subspecies introduced into Zanzibar is *borealis* from India.
 U Recorded from Kidepo National Park, E2. This is presumably an extension of the West African race *krameri* from Bwamba and Masindi.
- 422 *CENTROPUS SENEGALENSIS* SENEGAL COUCAL
 *K Although it is not given for Kenya in M1 or W7, it is recorded for Kavirondo, Mumias and Elgon in J1.
- 411 *CERCOCOCYX MONTANUS* BARRED LONG-TAILED CUCKOO
 *K Irangi Forest, southern slopes of Mt. Kenya: ♀ with oviduct egg collected 6 March 1962 at about 2100 m. It was thought to be the Tanzanian race, *patulus* Friedmann, K4.
 T Previously known only from highland forest in this country but now recorded from Liwale at ca. 700 m, S3.
- 410 *CERCOCOCYX OLIVINUS* OLIVE LONG-TAILED CUCKOO
 *U Bwamba: one specimen, 14 July 1963, K4.
 Kibale: heard in July 1963, K4.
 Bugoma: recorded in W7, but the evidence for this was unknown to Keith in K4.

- 436 *MUSOPHAGA ROSSAE* ROSS'S TURACO
U In M1 it is stated that it does not occur north of the Lango Swamp. However, it has been recorded in many parts of northern Uganda, E2, J1 and personal observations.
- 432 *TAURACO HARTLAUBI* HARTLAUB'S TURACO
*U Recorded from Debasien, Mt. Moroto and Morong'ole, M15.
- 433 *TAURACO LEUCOLOPHUS* WHITE-CRESTED TURACO
*K North-western Kenya to Lake Baringo, west Kenya from Elgon to Kisumu, J1 and personal observations; Muhoroni, personal observation.
- 531 *ASIO FLAMMEUS* SHORT-EARED OWL
Not recorded from East Africa in J1, M1, V2 or W7.
*K Makuiwa, Mt. Elgon: ♀ collected on 27 January 1927, G3.
Coast: two came aboard a ship travelling south from the Red Sea, one leaving on 12 November 1936 at 2°S, i.e. north of Lamu, M14.
One over sea, 5 km off Watamu on 5 January 1971, B22.
- 530 *ASIO OTUS* ABYSSINIAN LONG-EARED OWL
*U M. P. L. Fodgen (*in litt.* to G. C. Backhurst) records it from the Uganda side of the Ruwenzori.
- 543 *BUBO AFRICANUS* SPOTTED EAGLE-OWL
K A new subspecies, *tanae*, described from a male collected at Garissa on 30 June 1960. Other specimens belonging to this subspecies have been collected at Bura, near Garsen and the Lali Hills, K5.
- BUBO POENSIS* FRASER'S EAGLE-OWL
*U Impenetrable Forest: collected at 1600 m and 2300 m, K7.
- 533 *CICCABA WOODFORDI* AFRICAN WOOD-OWL
K A new subspecies, *sokokensis*, described from Kilifi, R7.
- GLAUCIDIUM CASTANEUM* CHESTNUT OWLET
*U Bwamba: ♀ collected at Ntandi on 8 December 1968, F15.
- 539 *GLAUCIDIUM TEPHRONOTUM* RED-CHESTED OWLET
K Kakamega Forest: race *elgonense* collected on 22 March 1965 by Forbes-Watson, R7. Subsequently it has been recorded there by a number of observers.
*U The race *medje* has been collected at the following localities:
Impenetrable Forest: at 1600 m, K5; at 2300 m, K7.
Bwamba: male at Bundimusuba, 11 July, F11.
Kibale: 2, November and December 1966, F14.
Kalinzu: 3, November 1969, F13.
- OTUS IRENAE* SOKOKE SCOPS OWL
*K The species was described from a specimen collected in Sokoke Forest on 9 April 1965 by A. Williams, R6. There are many subsequent records from the forest.
- 534 *OTUS SCOPS* SCOPS OWL
K A new subspecies, *nivosus*, described from a ♀ collected in the Lali Hills. Two more specimens have been collected at Bura, Lower Tana, K5.
The Palearctic *turanicus* has been recorded from the Tana River—the first specimen from Africa, F10.
U The Palearctic *pulchellum* is known from the northern part of the country, V2, and more specifically from Bunyoro, J1.
- CAPRIMULGUS BATESI* BATES' NIGHTJAR
*U Bwamba: one specimen from Ntandi, June, and one from Nkarasa, July, F11.
- 551 *CAPRIMULGUS PECTORALIS* FIERY-NECKED NIGHTJAR
*K The race *fervidus* was first collected in Sokoke Forest by Forbes-Watson in November 1964, R7. It is now known to be common there, many observers.
- 558 *CAPRIMULGUS POLIOCEPHALUS* ABYSSINIAN NIGHTJAR
U The race *poliocephalus* extended from Imatong Mts., Southern Sudan, into Kidepo National Park, E2.
The race *ruwenzorii* extended from the Ruwenzori to the Impenetrable Forest, K4, K7 and personal observation.
- 636 *APUS BARBATUS* BLACK SWIFT
*U Subspecies *roehli* extended from Kenya to Mt Moroto, where two specimens were collected in May 1963, F7.
- APUS BERLIOZI* FORBES-WATSON'S SWIFT
*K A new subspecies, *bensoni*, described from a specimen collected at Kilifi on 26 January 1966 by Forbes-Watson. Others have been collected at Gazi, Kilifi and Sokoke Forest, B18.
- 637 *APUS NIANSAE* NYANZA SWIFT
*U Mt Moroto: 11 specimens collected in May 1963 from 1600 m to 2800 m, F7.
- 639 *SHOUTEDENAPUS MYOPTILUS* SCARCE SWIFT
Range in M1 is given as Central Abyssinia to Nyasaland, but none of the East African countries is mentioned specifically.

- *K Specimens from Isiolo, Kapenguria, Mt. Kenya, Naivasha, and Nanyuki listed in B19. Also recorded from Kakamega Forest, R7 and personal observations.
- *T Records from Kilimanjaro, Ngara Ohatouni (south-west of Arusha) and Oldeani listed in B19.
- *U Recorded from Laropi (sight record), M2; Impenetrable Forest, K4, K7 and personal observation; Mt. Moroto, F7; Ruwenzori, B19.
- NEAFRAPUS CASSINI** CASSIN'S SPINETAIL
 *U Budongo Forest: recorded in October 1963, K4; December 1969 and August 1970, M2.
- 649 **RHAPHIDURA SABINI** SABINE'S SPINETAIL
 *K Kakamega: commonly recorded, R7, W15 and many observers.
 U Recorded only from the Semliki River in M1. The following records suggest that it is fairly widespread in the forests of western Uganda:
 Kalinzu, F13; Kibale, F11, F13, F14; Budongo, K4, M2; Bwamba, F15, K4.
- ALCEDO LEUCOGASTER** WHITE-BELLIED KINGFISHER
 *U The subspecies *leopoldi* has been recorded from Bwamba, summarised in F15, and Malabigambo Forest, F9.
- 495 **MEROPS GULARIS** BLACK BEE-EATER
 U The known range of this species is extended from Bwamba to Bugoma, F14; Kalinzu, F13; Kibale, F14; Impenetrable Forest, K4 & K7; Maramagambo, F13; north-east of Ruwenzori and south-west of Lake Albert, K4.
- 484 **MEROPS NUBICUS** CARMINE BEE-EATER
 K The southern race *nubicoides* (considered a full species in M1) was recorded for the first time on 14 July 1972, at Lake Kanyaboli (Nyanza), B16.
- 483 **MEROPS ORIENTALIS** LITTLE GREEN BEE-EATER
 *U Kidepo National Park: recorded in 1966, E2.
- 491 **MEROPS REVOILLII** SOMALI BEE-EATER
 K Known range extended from northern Kenya to the Galana River in Tsavo National Park, many observers.
- *T Near Dar es Salaam: one on 22 November 1970, H7.
- 490 **MEROPS VARIEGATUS** BLUE-BREASTED BEE-EATER
 *K Nyanza: very local, recorded in Usengi and Yala Swamp only, B17 and P. L. Britton (*in litt.*).
- 461 **CORACIAS NAEVIA** RUFOUS-CROWNED ROLLER
 *U A number of records for Acholi, Karamoja and Madi Districts summarised in M2.
- 463 **EURYSTOMUS GLAUCURUS** BROAD-BILLED ROLLER
 U The subspecies *suaehelicus* has its range extended from Mt. Elgon to Kidepo National Park, E2.
- 464 **EURYSTOMUS GULARIS** BLUE-THROATED ROLLER
 U Known range of this species extended from Bwamba to Budongo, F7 and personal observation; Bugoma J1; Impenetrable Forest, F14 & personal observation; Jinja, J1; Kalinzu, F13; Kibale, F7; Mabira, J1. Recorded breeding at Budongo, H5; Mubende, J1.
- 524 **PHOENICULUS CASTANEICEPS** FOREST WOOD-HOOPOE
 *K West Kenya, from Elgon to Kavirondo, W7.
- (520) **PHOENICULUS GRANTI** VIOLET WOOD-HOOPOE
 *T Recorded from this country in B3 & F2. A. D. Forbes-Watson informs me (pers. comm.) that there is no specific record for the country, but it occurs just over the border in Kenya at Taveta.)
- 515 **BUCORVUS CAFER** GROUND HORNBILL
 *U Recorded from eastern Uganda (including Busoga) in J1.
- 499 **BYCANISTES CYLINDRICUS** WHITE-THIGHED HORNBILL
 U Range of race *albotibialis* extended from Bwamba to Budongo, F7 & personal observations; Bugoma, F14; Impenetrable Forest, K7.
- 498 **BYCANISTES FISTULATOR** WHITE-TAILED HORNBILL
 U Known range extended from Bwamba to Budongo, K4.
- 512 **TOCKUS HEMPRICHII** HEMPRICH'S HORNBILL
 *K Recorded from Moyale, J1; Baringo, W15; Ortum, personal observation.
- 574 **LYBIUS GUIFSOBALITO** BLACK-BILLED BARBET
 *K Recorded from a number of localities in western Kenya, from Endebsess to Kisumu, and east to Muhoroni, P2, Z1, P. L. Britton (pers. comm.) and personal observations.
 U Known range extended from western and central Uganda to Soroti & Tororo, personal observations.
- 582 **LYBIUS HIRSUTUS** HAIRY-BREASTED BARBET
 *K Kakamega Forest: first recorded in R7. It has subsequently been identified by various observers, but appears to be rare.
- 576 **LYBIUS LEUCOCEPHALUS** WHITE-HEADED BARBET
 T A new race, *parensis*, from a male collected by G. Heinrich on the north-eastern slopes of the Pare Mountains, R8.
- 583 **LYBIUS MELANOCEPHALUS** BROWN-THROATED BARBET
 *U The race *stigmatothorax* is recorded from Karamoja in J1.
- 575 **LYBIUS TORQUATUS** BLACK-COLLARED BARBET

- T A new subspecies, *nampunju*, from a specimen collected at South Ulanga (Eastern Region), W13.
POGONIULUS ATRO-FLAVUS RED-RUMPED TINKER-BIRD
 *U Bwamba: one seen on 19 August 1963, K4. Two specimens collected at Ntandi in July 1967, F11.
- 597 **POGONIULUS BILINEATUS** GOLDEN-RUMPED TINKER-BIRD
 K A new subspecies, *pallidus*, from a specimen collected near Kilifi, in the Sokoke Forest, by A. D. Forbes-Watson, R7.
- 595 **POGONIULUS CHRYSOCONUS** YELLOW-FRONTED TINKER-BIRD
 *K Recorded from a number of localities in Nyanza Province, B17 & J1. P. L. Britton (*in litt.*) informs me that it is restricted to Central Nyanza, south to Kisumu, its place in South Nyanza being taken by *P. pusillus*.
- 594 **POGONIULUS PUSILLUS** RED-FRONTED TINKER-BIRD
 *U Recorded from Mt. Moroto, J1.
- 610b **INDICATOR MELIPHILUS** EASTERN LEAST HONEY-GUIDE
 *U Recorded from Mt. Moroto and Soronko River in eastern Uganda, C5.
INDICATOR PUMILIO DWARF HONEY-GUIDE
 *K Kakamega Forest: one collected by A. D. Forbes-Watson on 20 March 1963, W17.
 *U Impenetrable Forest: collected at 1600 m, 2300 m, and 2600 m, F11, F14, K5 & K7.
 Bwamba: one collected at Ntandi in July 1967, F11.
- INDICATOR WILLCOCKSI** WILLCOCK'S HONEY-GUIDE
 *U Impenetrable Forest: collected at 1300 m, F11 & K7.
 Kibale Forest: 5 specimens, November & December 1966, F14.
 Kalinzu Forest: 3 specimens, October & November 1969, F13.
- MELIGNOMON ZENKERI** ZENKER'S HONEY-GUIDE
 *U Bwamba: ♀ with enlarged ovary collected at Bundimusuba on 9 July 1967, F11.
- 634 **JYNX TORQUILA** WRYNECK
 *K Ng'iya, Nyanza: one February 1969, B17.
 Another unpublished record is mentioned in R9 but no details are given.
- 615 **CAMPETHERA CAROLI** BROWN-EARED WOODPECKER
 *K Known from Mt. Elgon, J1, and Kakamega Forest, R7 & many observers.
- 623 **DENDROPICOS FUSCESCENS** CARDINAL WOODPECKER
 U The race *hemprichii* from southern Ethiopia and northern Kenya recorded in Kidepo National Park, E2.
- DENDROPICOS GABONENSIS** GABON WOODPECKER
 *U Bwamba: 2 collected at Ntandi in June, F11.
- 633 **MESOPICOS ELLIOTII** ELLIOT'S WOODPECKER
 U Range extended from western Uganda to Elgon, F7, and Mbale, personal observation.
- SASIA AFRICANA** GOLDEN-BROWN PICULET
 *U Bwamba: seen by Smart on 11 April 1963, K4. 2 specimens collected in April 1963, and 12 more since, F15.
- PSEUDOCALYPTOMENA GRAUERI** GRAUER'S GREEN-BIRD
 *U Impenetrable Forest: collected at 2300 m at Bwindi & Ruhizha, F14 & K7.
- 684 **CALANDRELLA BRACHYDACTYLA** SHORT-TOED LARK
 *K Athi River: one collected by Lord Delamere on 14 November 1899, B5.
 Ukundu: one collected by Forbes-Watson on 19 December 1964, R7.
 Both specimens belong to the Turkestanian race, *longipennis*.
- CHERSOMANES ALBOFASCIATA** SPIKE-HEALED LARK
 *T The race *beesleyi* described from a specimen collected by J. S. S. Beesley in November 1965 on the Asogati plain, 50 km north of Arusha, B11. Six more were collected there in April 1966 by A. D. Forbes-Watson, B12. Beesley found it at one other locality, about 20 km south of Asogati plain, and reports two nests, one in April, the other in November, B8.
- 682 **EREMOPTERYX LEUCOPAREIA** FISCHER'S SPARROW-LARK
 *U Recorded from Mt. Moroto, J1, and northeast Uganda, W3.
- 679 **EREMOPTERYX LEUCOTIS** CHESTNUT-BACKED SPARROW-LARK
 *U Recorded from Moroto, J1 and northeast Uganda, W3.
- MIRAFRA PULPA**
 *K A specimen obtained at Archer's Post, H1.
- 660A **MIRAFRA WILLIAMSII** MARSABIT LARK
 K Collected near Isiolo, K5. Previously known only from Marsabit, 200 km to the north, and the Dida Galgalla desert to the north of Marsabit.
- 1084 **CAMPETHAGA QUISCALINA** PURPLE-THROATED CUCKOO-SHRIKE
 K Arabuko-Sokoke Forest: several seen on 5 January 1973, B23.
 This extends the known range of this species (previously known only from highland forest) from the Kenya highlands west of Nairobi, and the Crater Highlands and Uluguru Mts. of Tanzania.
- (CORACINA AZUREA)** BLUE CUCKOO-SHRIKE
 *U M. P. L. Fogden (*in litt.* to G. C. Backhurst) says that this species has been seen in the Mafuga Forest by J. G. Williams, but I have been unable to confirm this information.)†

- (*CORACINA GRAUERI* GRAUER'S CUCKOO-SHRIKE
 *U Fogden (*in litt.* to Backhurst) states that there are records from the Ruwenzori, but I have not managed to confirm these.)
- 1173 *CORVUS CAPENSIS* CAPE ROOK
 *T Ngorongoro Crater: many records, including two of breeding, M19 & T1.
 near Moshi: recorded by W. G. Harvey (*in litt.*)
- 1174 *CORVUS SPLENDENS* INDIAN HOUSE CROW
 *K Recorded from Mombasa area, F3 & M11.
 T The only locality given in M1 is Zanzibar. It is recorded from Dar es Salaam, H12 & Mziwe Island, M12.
- 1179 *PTILOSTOMUS AFER* PIAPIAC
 *K Maseno: one on 16 April 1971, S1.
- (1473 *EMBERIZA CAESIA* CRETZSCHMAR'S BUNTING
 *K Range extended from Sudan and coastal Ethiopia to Kenya in M17, which states 'south of about 14°N the sole record is in dry country at the north end of the Rift Valley in Kenya'. I cannot trace the original record.)
- 1471 *EMBERIZA FORBESI* BROWN-RUMPED BUNTING
 *K Recorded from North Kerio and Simu Rivers in J1.
- 1421 *AMANDAVA SUBFLAVA* ZEBRA WAXBILL
 K Range of nominate race extended from Uganda to western Kenya in Central Nyanza where widespread and nesting. (P. L. Britton *in litt.*) and Uasin Gishu (personal observations).
- 1389 *GLYTOSPIZA MONTEIRI* BROWN TWINSPOUT
 *K Recorded from Central Nyanza, B17.
- 1400 *CRYPTOSPIZA JACKSONI* DUSKY CRIMSON-WING
 U Range extended from Ruwenzori Mountains to Impenetrable Forest, where it has been collected at 1600 m, 2300 m and 2600 m, K4 & K7.
- 1401 *CRYPTOSPIZA SHELLEYI* SHELLEY'S CRIMSON-WING
 U Range extended from Ruwenzori Mountains to Impenetrable Forest, where it has been collected at 1600 m and 2300 m, K4 and K7.
- 1427 *ESTRILDA ERYTHRONOTUS* BLACK-CHEEKED WAXBILL
 U Race *charmosyna* has its range extended from River Turkwell and Lotonok to Kidepo National Park, E2.
- 1417 *ESTRILDA MELANOTIS* YELLOW-BELLIED WAXBILL
 U Race *quartinia* has its range extended from south-eastern Sudan to Kidepo National Park at 2700 m, E2.
- 1423 *ESTRILDA PERREINI* LAVENDER WAXBILL
 T Dodoma: recorded in October 1970, W. G. Harvey (*in litt.*). The nearest plot in H2 is in Selous Game Reserve, 300 km southeast.
- 1419 *ESTRILDA TROGLODYTES* BLACK-RUMPED WAXBILL
 *K Nyanza: recorded at three localities, B17; subsequently 100+ at Ahero on 18 January 1970 (P. L. Britton *in litt.*); nesting at Maranda, H4.
- 1407 *MANDINGOA NITIDULA* GREEN-BACKED TWINSPOUT
 K Known range extended from Mt. Kenya and Mau to Kakamega Forest, R7.
- 1414 *LAGONOSTICTA RUFOPICTA* BAR-BREASTED FIREFINCH
 *K Recorded from Central Nyanza, B17.
- (1387 *NIGRITA BICOLOR* CHESTNUT-BREASTED NEGRO-FINCH
 *K W15 records this species from Kakamega, but in a later publication, W16, it is not given for Kenya I have been unable to obtain any further information from the author.)†
- PARMOPTILA JAMESONI* RED-FRONTED ANT-PECKER
 *U Bwamba: recorded in August, November & December, F15 & K4.
 Impenetrable Forest: collected at 1600 m in June & August, K5 & K7.
 Kalinzu Forest: one collected in November, F13.
 Kibale Forest: one collected in April, F7.
- (1393 *PIRENESTES OSTRINUS* BLACK-BELLIED SEED-CRACKER
 *K As with *Nigrita bicolor* above, this species is recorded from Kakamega Forest in W15, but not from Kenya in W16, confirmation or denial is lacking.)
- 1436 *HYPOCHERA AMAUROPTERYX* SOUTH AFRICAN INDIGO-BIRD
 *K Recorded from Malindi, M8 & P3.
 T Range extended from central Tanzania to 10–12 km north of Dar es Salaam, W18.
- 1442 *VIDUA HYPOCHERINA* STEEL-BLUE WHYDAH
 *U Recorded for Karamoja, E2 and personal observations, and Masaka, J1.
- 1459 *SERINUS ATROGULARIS* YELLOW-RUMPED SEED-EATER
 T Range of *hilgerti* extended from Mombasa to Dar-es-Salaam, R8.
- 1464 *SERINUS CITRINELLOIDES* AFRICAN CITRIL
 K A new subspecies, *brittoni*, described from Kapenguria, T4. The range of this form is from Nyanza

- north of Kavirondo Gulf to the eastern slopes of Mt. Elgon, and Kong'elai, including Kakamega and Nandi.
- 1449 *SERINUS DORSOSTRIATUS* WHITE-BELLIED CANARY
T The race *maculicollis* is extended from Lake Baringo and Northern Guaso Nyiro into Tanzania at Same and Mt Meru, R8.
- 1458 *SERINUS LEUCOPYGIUS* WHITE-RUMPED SEED-EATER
*U Murchison Falls National Park: recorded from the northern end of Lake Albert and the Albert Nile, H2, J1, W6 and personal observation.
- HIRUNDO ANDREWII*
*K This species was described from a ♀ collected from a small group at Lake Naivasha on 4 April 1965, W12. (In H2 it is considered as probably a subspecies of *H. griseopyga*.)
- 1060 *HIRUNDO ATROCAERULEA* BLUE SWALLOW
*K Recorded from Mumias in August, J1.
T Korogwe: one about 20 km south of town in April 1965, personal observation. This represents an extension of known range of about 600 km northeast from Njombe.
- 1064 *HIRUNDO SEMIRUFA* RUFOUS-CHESTED SWALLOW
*T Recorded from this country in B3 & F2. There is no specific record but the type locality of *neumanni* (considered synonymous with *gordoni*) is 'Masai Plains' on the border of Kenya and Tanzania.
- (1116) *LANIUS BOGDANOWI* BOGDANOW'S SHRIKE
T Considered a hybrid between *L. collurio collurio* and *L.c.phoenicuroides*, W5.)
- 1109 *LANIUS NUBICUS* NUBIAN SHRIKE
*K Lake Kanyaboli, Central Nyanza: immature collected on 9 November 1969, B13.
- 1122 *LANIARIUS LEUCORHYNCHUS* SOOTY BOUBOU
*K Recorded from western Kenya in W5. I cannot trace the original source or the exact locality.
- 1120 *LANIARIUS MUFUMBIRI* PAPYRUS GONOLEK
*K Central Nyanza: Yala Swamp and periphery at Lake Kanyaboli and Usengi, B13 and P. L. Britton (*in litt.*).
- 1146 *MALACONOTUS LAGDENI* LAGDEN'S BUSH SHRIKE
U Range extended from Ruwenzori Mts. to Impenetrable Forest at 2300 m, K4 & K7.
- 1135 *TCHAGRA JAMESI* THREE-STREAKED BUSH SHRIKE
*U Recorded from Mt. Moroto, J1 and Karamoja, W5.
- 1133 *TCHAGRA SENEGALA* BLACK-HEADED BUSH SHRIKE
U Range of the race *habessinica* extended from southern Sudan (Imatong Mountains) to Kidepo National Park, E2.
- 715 *TMETOTHYLACUS TENELLUS* GOLDEN PIPIT
K Macalder Mine, South Nyanza: recorded, 54. The nearest known locality is Nairobi, J1.
*U Recorded from Kidepo National Park, E2. This extends the known range from the extreme south-east of Sudan, W3.
- 712 *ANTHUS CAFFER* LITTLE TAWNY PIPIT
T Dar-es-Salaam: one seen at very close range in sisal scrub in September 1970; W. G. Harvey (*in litt.*). The nearest plot in H2 is in the Masai Steppe, about 300 km northwest.
- 702 *ANTHUS CAMPESTRIS* TAWNY PIPIT
*U Entebbe: one on 4 December 1966, P5.
- ANTHUS VAALENSIS* SOUTHERN PLAIN-BACKED PIPIT
*T The race *neumanni* extended from Zambia and Malawi into Tanzania at Songea, W3.
(The forms *saphiroi* and *goodsoni* which are included in *vaalensis* in M1, have been transferred to *leucophrys*, W3.)
- 827A *TROCHOCERCUS LONGICAUDA* BLUE FLYCATCHER
*U Recorded from Kigezi and Ankole in J1. There are many recent records from the Impenetrable Forest.
- 801 *EMPIDORNIS SEMIPARTITUS* SILVER-BIRD
T Two specimens collected about 80 km north of Dodoma in September 1960, K5. The nearest point at which this species had previously been recorded is Serengeti about 250 km to the north.
- 780 *FICEDULA ALBICOLLIS* WHITE-COLLARED FLYCATCHER
U The form *semitorquata* is recorded from Uganda in W6.
- 779 *FICEDULA HYPOLEUCA* PIED FLYCATCHER
*K Kakamega Forest: one collected on 8 December 1965 by A. D. Forbes-Watson, R7. Another collected by J. F. Harper on 24 December 1970, B5.
*U Mbarara: a male seen in March 1970. (E. R. Waterhouse *in litt.* to G. C. Backhurst.)
Kampala: one ringed by R. Frankum on 7 September 1970. (East African Bird Ringing Scheme files.)
Queen Elizabeth National Park: one ringed by M. P. L. Fogden on 5 March 1971. (East African Bird Ringing Scheme files.) (The form *semitorquata*, included in *hypoleuca* in M1, is considered a race of *albicollis* in V1 and W6.)
- 778(c) *MUSCICAPA GAMBAGAE* GAMBAGA DUSKY FLYCATCHER
*K Recorded from Northern Uaso Nyiro and Mt Elgon, J1.

- *U Recorded from Lohor, northeastern Uganda, J1.
(In M1 this species is considered a form of *striata*.)
MUSCICAPA LENDU
- *K Kakamega Forest: total of five collected in 1963 and 1965 by A. D. Forbes-Watson, R7.
There are subsequent sight records.
- *U Impenetrable Forest: collected at 1600 m in August 1960, K5.
816 *BATIS DIOPS* RUWENZORI PUFF-BACK FLYCATCHER
U Range extended from Ruwenzori Mountains to Impenetrable Forest, at 1600 to 2600 m, K5, K7 and personal observations.
- 818 *BATIS ORIENTALIS* GREY-HEADED PUFF-BACK FLYCATCHER
*U Mt Moroto: collected at 1300 m on 12 May 1963, F7.
- 819 *BATIS PERKEO* PIGMY PUFF-BACK FLYCATCHER
*T W6 extends the range from Kenya into northeast Tanganyika.
*U Mt. Moroto: collected in May 1963 at 1150 m, F7.
(There is a record in the same publication of one collected at Kamathia in southeastern Sudan in May 1953, which is the first for that country.)
- 809 *ERYTHROCERCUS LIVINGSTONEI* LIVINGSTONE'S FLYCATCHER
(*K Recorded from Kenya in B3 & F2 but original source could not be traced.)
- 811 *MEGABYAS FLAMMULATA* SHRIKE-FLYCATCHER
*K Recorded from Kakamega Forest, R7 and many observers, and the South Nandi Forest, personal observations.
- 942 *ACROCEPHALUS ARUNDINACEUS* GREAT REED WARBLER
*U Although not mentioned in M1 as occurring in this country, the nominate race is recorded from a number of localities in J1. The race *zarudnyi* is recorded from Uganda in W2.
- 946 *ACROCEPHALUS BAETICATUS* AFRICAN REED WARBLER
K Known range extended from south of the equator north to Ferguson's Gulf, Lake Rudolf, P. L. Britton & personal observation.
U Kibale: ♀ collected in April, F7. Previously known from north-western Uganda and the Zaire side of the Semliki.
- 943 *ACROCEPHALUS GRISELDIS* BASRA REED WARBLER
*U Kampala: two netted in November 1966 are the first for the country, P5.
- 982 *APALIS JACKSONI* BLACK-THROATED APALIS
*T Range extended into northwest Tanzania at Bukoba, J1 & W4.
- 988 *APALIS KARAMOJAE* KARAMOJA APALIS
*T Recorded from Itumba, 120 km ESE of Nzega, W4.
U An extension of range from Mt. Moroto and Mt. Kamalinga to Kidepo National Park, E2.
- 977 *APALIS PULCHRA* BLACK-COLLARED APALIS
U The form *ruwenzorii* (treated as a full species in M1) is recorded only from the Ruwenzori Mts. in M1. J1 records it from Kigezi and Mpanga.
- 972 *APALIS RUFOGULARIS* BUFF-THROATED APALIS
U A new subspecies, *kigezi*, described from the Impenetrable Forest in K6.
(In M1 the male is described as a different species, *nigrescens*.)
- 970/ *APALIS THORACICA* BAR-THROATED APALIS
971 T A new race, *parensis*, described from a male collected at 1900 m on the Pare Mountains by G. Heinrich, R8.
Another race, *iringae*, described from a male collected at 2100 m on the Uzungwa Plateau, southern Tanzania by the same collector, R8.
- 954 *BRADYPTERUS BARRATTI* LOPEZ'S WARBLER
U Known range of form *barakae*, considered a race of *lopezi* in M1, is extended from Ruwenzori Mountains to the Impenetrable Forest, F11 & F14.
- 950 *BRADYPTERUS GRAUERI* WHITE-WINGED WARBLER
*K The race *carpalis* recorded from Nyanza Province, B17.
- 1010 *CAMEROPTERA CHLORONOTA* OLIVE-GREEN CAMAROPTERA
U Recorded from Kidepo National Park, E2. Previously known from southern Uganda and western Kenya.
- 958 *CHLOROPETA GRACILIROSTRIS* YELLOW SWAMP WARBLER
*K Recorded from Lake Kanyaboli, Central Nyanza, B17.
U Range extended from Ruwenzori Mountains to Lakes Bunyoni, George & Mutanda, western Uganda, C3.
- (*CISTICOLA* 'BORAN') BORAN CISTICOLA
*K This species has not yet been described taxonomically. A number of specimens have been collected and sound recordings made in the northern part of the country, of birds which are superficially similar to *C.chiniana* but are believed to be specifically distinct, N3.)
- 1027 *CISTICOLA ABERRANS* ROCK-LOVING CISTICOLA
*U Range of *petrophila* Alexander, extended from Dongotona Mountains, southern Sudan to Kidepo National Park at 2150 m, E2.

- 1024 *CISTICOLA CHINIANA* **RATTLING CISTICOLA**
 U Race *bodessa*, known from southern Sudan and southern Ethiopia, recorded from Kidepo National Park, E2.
- 1021 *CISTICOLA EXIMIA* **BLACK-BACKED CISTICOLA**
 *K Recorded from Mumias and Yala, western Kenya, J1.
- 1030 *CISTICOLA HUNTERI* **HUNTER'S CISTICOLA**
 *U The type locality of the race *masaba* is given as Mt. Elgon, from Bumifasa, 3000 m, up to the summit, 4600 m, and inside the summit crater, L4. (Part of the summit is within Uganda, as is probably Bumifasa, presumably a Lugisu name.)
- 1025 *CISTICOLA LATERALIS* **WHISTLING CISTICOLA**
 *K J1 records it from the southwestern foothills of Mt. Elgon. Subsequently it has been recorded from Kakamega Forest, R7 & personal observations, and Central Nyanza, P. L. Britton (*in litt.*).
CISTICOLA RESTRICTA
 *K This species was described from a male collected by V. G. L. van Someren on the Lower Tana River. Other specimens have been obtained from Sangole, Ijara and Karawa, T3.
- 1026 *CISTICOLA WOOSNAMI* **TRILLING CISTICOLA**
 *K South Nyanza: recorded from Rapogi & Oyugis, 54.
- 1007(a) *EREMOMELA BADICEPS* **BROWN-CROWNED EREMOMELA**
 U Range extended from Bwamba to Budongo Forest, F7 and personal observations, and Bugoma Forest, F14.
- 1003 *EREMOMELA ICTEROPYGIALIS* **YELLOW-BELLIED EREMOMELA**
 *U The type locality of the form *karamojensis* (now lumped with *E.i.griseoflava*, W4) is North Karamoja, S5.
- 1007(b) *EREMOMELA TURNERI* **TURNER'S EREMOMELA**
 U In M1 the range of this species includes Uganda, but it is excluded from this country in B3 & F2. However, its claim to a place in the avifauna of Uganda is upheld by a specimen collected by T. V. Fox in the Nyondo Forest, Kigezi, C3 & J1.
- GRAUERIA VITTATA* **GRAUER'S WARBLER**
 *U Impenetrable Forest: a number of specimens of this east Zaire species collected between 1600 and 2300 m, F11 & K7.
- HEMITESIA NEUMANNI* **NEUMANN'S BUSH-WARBLER**
 *U Impenetrable Forest: another east Zaire species collected in the Itama and Ruhizha areas at 1600 and 2300 m, F11 & K7.
- 935 *HIPPOLAIS ICTERINA* **ICTERINE WARBLER**
 *T Five records involving six birds from Rukwa Valley, Mwanza, Baraka, Changa & Singida, in February, October & December detailed in B5.
- 937 *HIPPOLAIS LANGUIDA* **UPCHER'S WARBLER**
 *U Kachenga'a, near Mbale: single birds on 20 March 1971, and 29 March 1972, R9.
 Lake Bisina, Teso District: one trapped and one seen on 24, two or three seen on 29 March and one seen on 2 April 1972, R9.
- 938 *HIPPOLAIS PALLIDA* **OLIVACEOUS WARBLER**
 *U Although Uganda is not included in its range in M1, it is recorded from a number of localities in J1, *viz.* Butiaba, Falabek, Soguru, Budama, Kitgum. It has also been recorded from Teso District, R. J. Rolfe (*in litt.*) & personal observation.
- 1281 *HYLIA PRASINA* **GREEN HYLIA**
 *T Bukoba is given as part of its range in W4.
- 940 *LOCUSTELLA FLUVIATILIS* **RIVER WARBLER**
 *T Arusha National Park: specimen obtained on 25 April 1968, B7.
 *U Queen Elizabeth National Park: one trapped on 24 November 1970 (M. P. L. Fogden *in litt.* to G. C. Backhurst).
- 764 *MACROSPHENUS KRETSCHMERI* **KRETSCHMER'S LONGBILL**
 *K Recorded from Taveta, by van Someren in J1.
- 991 *ORTHOTOMUS METOPIAS* **RED-CAPPED FOREST WARBLER**
 T A new race, *pallidus*, described from a ♀ collected by G. Heinrich at 2100 m at Itanga, 50 km SSE of Iringa, R8.
- 960 *PHYLLOSCOPUS COLLYBITA* **CHIFFCHAFF**
 *K A number of records, mostly in mountain forest, listed in B5.
 *T Two records, one from Kilimanjaro and one from Ngare Nairobi, M18.
 *U There are two doubtful records for Mubende and Entebbe in J1.
 Lake Bisina: 2 trapped and another seen, 19 December 1971, R9.
 N. W. Elgon: recorded in Cheptui and Chebonnet valleys from December to March, R9.
- 961 *PHYLLOSCOPUS SIBILATRIX* **WOOD WARBLER**
 *T One record, from Kibweza, L. Tanganyika on 8 September 1958, U2.
 (Another record of one seen at Mwanza by Meiklejohn, together with records from Kenya and Uganda, are discussed in B5.)

- 1046 *PRINIA SOMALICA* PALE PRINIA
 *T Recorded from Serengeti in W4.
 *U Recorded from northeast Uganda in J1 but no specific localities given. One was collected at 1300 m on Mt. Moroto in November 1963, F7.
- 987 *SPILOPTILA RUFIFRONS* RED-FACED APALIS
 *U South Karamoja: recorded between Iriri and Kang'ole in November 1965, M2.
- (931 *SYLVIA CANTILLANS* SUBALPINE WARBLER
 T This species is recorded from Tanzania in B3, F2, M1 & W2. There seems to be no specific record for this country, and following B5, it should be deleted from the avifaunal list.)
- (927 *SYLVIA HORTENSIS* ORPHEAN WARBLER
 K Recorded from this country in B3, F2, M1 & W2. Since there are no traceable definitive records it should be removed from the Kenya list following B5.)
- 933 *SYLVIA NISORIA* BARRED WARBLER
 *T Northern Masailand: M13.
 *U Butiaba: one in November, J1.
 Entebbe: recorded from late November to early April, P5.
 Tororo: one 20 March and 5 November 1971, R9.
 Lake Bisina: 30 March and 28 November 1971, R9.
 Kachenga'a: one seen 29 March 1971, R9.
- 1001 *SYLVIETTA VIRENS* GREEN CROMBEC
 (*K Claimed to occur in Kakamega Forest in W15, but no confirmation available.)†
 *T Recorded south to Bukoba and Rutschuru, Manyema and the Kasai, W4.
- 997 *SYLVIETTA WHYTII* RED-FACED CROMBEC
 U The race *abayensis* is extended from southeastern Sudan and northwestern Kenya into Uganda at Mt. Moroto, F7.
- 740 *ALCIPPE ABYSSINICA* ABYSSINIAN HILL-BABBLER
 T A new subspecies, *hildergardae*, described from a male collected by G. Heinrich on the Ufipa Plateau, R8.
- 739 *TRICHASTOMA POLIOTHORAX* GREY-CHESTED ILLADOPSIS
 *K Occurs in Kakamega Forest, R7 and many observers, and in adjacent parts of the South Nandi Forest, personal observations.
 U Known range extended from Ruwenzori Mountains to the Impenetrable Forest at 1600 to 2300 m, K7.
- 727 *TURDOIDES TENEBROSUS* DUSKY BABBLER
 *U First record in print for Uganda is of a party at Kitgum in February 1964, K4. However it is known to nest at Serere (Teso District), Lwampanga (Buganda), southern West Nile District and southeast Acholi District, C. R. S. Pitman (*in litt.*).
- 904 *ALETHE POLIOPHRYS* RED-THROATED ALETHE
 U Known range extended from Ruwenzori Mountains to the Impenetrable Forest at 1600 and 2800 m, K4, K7 and personal observation.
- 870 *CERCOMELA SCOTOCERCA* BROWN-TAILED ROCK-CHAT
 *U Karamoja is given as part of the range in W5.
- 873 *CERCOMELA SORDIDA* HILL CHAT
 *U Recorded from the Uganda side of Mt. Elgon by A. D. Forbes-Watson (pers.comm.).
- 911 *CERCOTRICHAS LEUCOPHRYS* WHITE-WINGED SCRUB-ROBIN
 U The range of the race *leucoptera* is extended from Kenya to Uganda in Kidepo National Park, E2.
CERCOTRICHAS LEUCOSTICTA GOLD COAST SCRUB-ROBIN
 *U Bwamba: a sub-adult male of the race *collsi* was collected on 23 July 1960, K5.
- 913 *CERCOTRICHAS QUADRIVIRGATA* EASTERN BEARDED SCRUB-ROBIN
 T A new subspecies, *brunnea*, described from a male collected by G. Heinrich west of Lake Manyara, R8.
- 890 *COSSYPHA NATALENSIS* RED-CAPPED ROBIN CHAT
 K A new race, *tennenti*, described from Endau, W10.
- 849 *NEOCOSSYPHUS POENSIS* WHITE-TAILED ANT-THRUSH
 *K First recorded from the Kakamega Forest in F7. More recently it has been reported by many observers. It also occurs in adjacent parts of the South Nandi Forest, personal observations.
- 848 *NEOCOSSYPHUS RUFUS* RED-TAILED ANT-THRUSH
 T Range extended from coast and Ulunguru Mountains south to Rondo Plateau, S4.
 U Range extended from Bwamba to Budongo Forest, F7 and personal observations.
- 867 *OENANTHE BOTTAE* HEUGLIN'S RED-BREASTED WHEATEAR
 K A. D. Forbes-Watson (pers.comm.) has recorded it from Loiya Escarpment, Turkana. The only other record from Kenya is in Kavirondo, J1.
- 868 *OENANTHE PILEATA* CAPPED WHEATEAR
 *U M. P. L. Fogden (*in litt.* to G. C. Backhurst) records it in Queen Elizabeth National Park.
- 859 *OENANTHE PLESCHANKA* PIED WHEATEAR
 *U Records from Teso and Karamoja Districts, and one from Masaka are summarised in M2.

- SHEPPARDIA ROBERTI* WHITE-BELLIED ROBIN CHAT
 *U Impenetrable Forest: collected at 1600 m, K4, K5 & K7.
- 900 *STIPHORNIS ERYTHROTHORAX* FOREST-ROBIN
 *K Kipkabus: immature ♀ collected by B. Heath on 16 April 1966, Z1.
- TURDUS CAMERONENSIS* BLACK-EARED GROUND-THRUSH
 *U Kibale Forest: 2 males of the race *prigoginei* in non-breeding state collected on 12 December 1966, F14.
- 846 *TURDUS FISCHEI* SPOTTED GROUND-THRUSH
 K Sokoke Forest: one collected in 1964 was the first since the original specimens were obtained in 1885, K5. Others were obtained in 1965 and 1966 by A. D. Forbes-Watson, R7. More recently it has been commonly observed in the forest and at Gedi by many observers.
- TURDUS OBERLAENDERI* FOREST GROUND-THRUSH
 *U Bwamba: 6 specimens, all in July, the first in 1960, F11, K4 & K5.
- TURDUS PRINCEI* GREY GROUND-THRUSH
 *U Budongo Forest: adult ♀ in breeding condition collected on 1 May 1963, F7.
 Bugoma Forest: recorded in C3.
- 1274 *ANTHREPTES LONGUEMAREI* VIOLET-BACKED SUNBIRD
 *K The nominate race is recorded from North Kavirondo, C4.
 (The form *orientalis*, considered a race of *longuemarei* in M1, is treated as a full species in H2 & W6.)
- 1275 *ANTHREPTES NEGLECTUS* ULUGURU VIOLET-BACKED SUNBIRD
 *K Makeri, Tana River: ♀ collected on 12 December 1962, K4. The nearest known locality is the Usambara Mountains 400 km to the south.
- 1252 *NECTARINIA AFRA* GREATER DOUBLE-COLLARED SUNBIRD
 U Impenetrable Forest: a male seen on 8 August 1971 at Ruhizha (2500 m) extends the range from the Ruwenzori Mountains, personal observation.
- 1261 *NECTARINIA AMETHYSTINA* AMETHYST SUNBIRD
 *U Recorded from Mt Moroto, J1; Kidepo National Park, E2; northeast Uganda, W6.
- 1247 *NECTARINIA BOUVIERI* ORANGE-TUFTED SUNBIRD
 *K Kakamega Forest: nine specimens collected in December 1965 by A. D. Forbes-Watson, R7. It has been recorded frequently since that date by many observers.
- 1257 *NECTARINIA CHLOROPYGIA* OLIVE-BELLIED SUNBIRD
 *K Kakamega Forest: collected on 12 June 1963, Z3. Many observers have recorded it since that date.
 Central Nyanza: recorded by P. L. Britton (*in litt.*).
 South Nyanza: recorded in S4.
- (1239) *NECTARINIA COCCINIGASTER* SPLENDID SUNBIRD
 *U Recorded from the north of West Nile Province in W15, but confirmation is lacking.)†
- (1268) *NECTARINIA CYANOLAEMA* BLUE-THROATED BROWN SUNBIRD
 *K Recorded from Kakamega Forest in W15, but, as with the above species, I have been unable to obtain confirmation.)†
- 1240 *NECTARINIA HABESSINICA* SHINING SUNBIRD
 *U Northern Uganda is included as part of range in W6 & W15.
- 1258 *NECTARINIA MINULLA* TINY SUNBIRD
 U Kibale Forest: a pair collected on 21 July 1960, K5, and a male collected on 14 April 1963, F7, represent an extension of range from Bwamba at ca.700 m to this locality at 1700 m.
- 1250 *NECTARINIA OUSTALETI* ANGOLA WHITE-BELLIED SUNBIRD
 *T The race *rhodesiae* is recorded 'to the Tanganyika border' in W6.
- 1231 *NECTARINIA PURPUREIVENTRIS* PURPLE-BREASTED SUNBIRD
 U Known range extended from Ruwenzori Mountains to Bwamba, F15; Impenetrable Forest, K7 and personal observations; Kalinzu Forest, F13.
- (1237) *NECTARINIA SUPERBA* SUPERB SUNBIRD
 *K Recorded from Kakamega Forest in W15 but not in W16.)†
- 1229 *NECTARINIA TACAZZE* TACAZZE SUNBIRD
 *U Recorded from Morong'ole, J1, and Kidepo National Park, E2.
- 1168 *ORIOUS BRACHYRHYNCHOS* WESTERN BLACK-HEADED ORIOLE
 *K Recorded from Kavirondo (probable meaning Kakamega Forest) in W5, and from Kakamega Forest in R7. It has been recorded there by many observers in the last few years.
- 1170 *ORIOUS CHLOROCEPHALUS* GREEN-HEADED ORIOLE
 *K Shimba Hills: one seen by R. W. Smart on 1 January 1964, K4. The nearest known locality is the Usambara Mountains ca.160 km to the southwest.
- 1151 *PARUS AFER* GREY TIT
 *U Recorded from northeast Uganda in W6.
- 1152 *PARUS FASCIIVENTER* STRIPE-BREASTED TIT
 U Known range extended from Ruwenzori Mountains to the Impenetrable Forest at 2300 m, K4, K7 and personal observations.

- 1306 *PASSER EMINIBEY* CHESTNUT SPARROW
T Dar-es-Salaam: flock of ten observed near the beach in January 1971, W. G. Harvey (*in litt.*).
The nearest plot in H3 is to the west of Kilosa, about 320 km west of Dar-es-Salaam.
- 1294 *PASSER IAGOENSIS* RUFOUS SPARROW
K The form *shellei*, classified as a race of *motitensis* in M1, is recorded from Kerio River in J1, an extension from Karamoja.
- 1291 *PSEUDONIGRITA ARNAUDI* GREY-HEADED SOCIAL WEAVER
T A new race, *iringae*, described from a male collected by G. Heinrich on 1 September 1962 ca. 25 km northeast of Iringa, R8.
Recorded ca. 80 km north of Dodoma, extending the range of the race *iringae* some 240 km north, K5.
- 1369 *EUPLECTES AFRA* YELLOW-CROWNED BISHOP
T Observed in central Tanzania at Chipogolo and Dodoma, R5. Previously known from north-eastern and southern Tanzania.
- 1368 *EUPLECTES DIADEMATA* FIRE-FRONTED BISHOP
K Known range extended from northern and eastern parts of the country to the Nairobi-Magadi road. Three nests with eggs found in May 1971, and an earlier nest with eggs, the first known, found in Tsavo by J. G. Williams, are also recorded in C9.
- 1366 *EUPLECTES GIEROWII* BLACK BISHOP
K The form *ansorgei* is recorded from Central Nyanza, B17.
- 1334 *PLOCEUS AURANTIUS* ORANGE WEAVER
*K Recorded at Kisumu by A. D. Forbes-Watson & J. G. Williams (A. D. Forbes-Watson, *in litt.*)
- 1330 *PLOCEUS CASTANUS* NORTHERN BROWN-THROATED WEAVER
*K Nyanza Province, B17.
- 1320 *PLOCEUS GOLANDI* CLARKE'S WEAVER
K At the time of publication of M1 this species was known only from the type specimen. It was rediscovered in Soko Forest in 1955, C6. More recently it has been recorded by many observers in the forest.
- 1340 *PLOCEUS OLIVACEICEPS* USAMBARA WEAVER
T Known range of the race *nicolli* (treated as a separate species in M1) is extended from the Usambara Mountains to the Uluguru Mountains, R8.
- 1350 *PLOCEUS SUPERGILIOSUS* COMPACT WEAVER
*T Northwest Tanzania is included in range in W6.
- 1353 *PLOCEUS TRICOLOR* YELLOW-MANTLED WEAVER
*K Kakamega Forest: collected here by A. D. Forbes-Watson, R7. It has been noted by other observers but appears to be rare.
- 772 *ANDROPADUS GRACILIS* LITTLE GREY GREENBUL
*K The form *ugandae* is recorded from Kakamega Forest in R7, and has been identified by many observers. (The form *kavirondensis* classified as a race of *gracilis* in M1 is considered a race of *ansorgei* in W5.)
- 768 *ANDROPADUS MONTANUS* SHELLEY'S GREENBUL
*U The race *kakamegae* is known from Kalinzu Forest, F13, and the Impenetrable Forest, K5 & K7.
- 751 *BAEOPOGON INDICATOR* HONEY-GUIDE GREENBUL
*K J1 records it 'east to Elgon and Yala River'. It is common in the Kakamega Forest, many observers, and in adjacent parts of the South Nandi Forest, personal observations.
- CRINIGER BARBATUS* BEARDED BULBUL,
*U Bwamba: a ♀, thought to be of the race *weileri* was collected at ca. 1150 m on 20 January 1966 F15.
- 745 *CRINIGER CALURUS* RED-TAILED GREENBUL
*T Bukoba: several seen in relict forest in October 1970, W. G. Harvey (*in litt.*). The nearest plot in H2 would appear to be Masaka, Uganda, 100 km to the north.
- CHLOROCICHLA SIMPLEX* SIMPLE LEAF-LOVE
*U Bwamba: four specimens, collected in June, July and November at ca. 700 m, F15.
- 760 *PHYLLASTREPHUS BAUMANNI* TORO OLIVE GREENBUL
*K Recorded from Kakamega Forest and Elgon in J1. More recently it has been recorded in the former locality by many observers.
- PHYLLASTREPHUS ICTERINUS* ICTERINE GREENBUL
*U Recorded from Budongo Forest, F8, F12 and J1; Bugoma, J1; Bwamba, F11 and F15; Malabigambo Forest, F12.
- PHYLLASTREPHUS LORENZI* LORENZ'S GREENBUL
*U Bwamba: one taken at Ntandi at ca. 800 m, F11 & F15.
- 754 *PHYLLASTREPHUS STREPTANS* NORTHERN BROWNBUL
*U Recorded from 'drier parts of northern Uganda', J1. Collected on Mt. Moroto at 1300 m, F7.
- 1185 *CINNYRICINCLUS SHARPEI* SHARPE'S STARLING
T Mt. Rungwe: recorded in October 1971, D1. This represents a southward extension of 500 km from Kungwe-Mahari Mts.

- 1208 *POEOPTERA LUGUBRIS* NARROW-TAILED STARLING
 U Impenetrable Forest: previously known only from Bwamba, this species has been recorded from 1150 to 1600 m, K7 and personal observation. A new race, *webbi*, is described in K3. Kalinzu: collected in November 1969, K13. These authors consider *webbi* 'a poorly marked, if valid form'.
 Kibale: collected in November & December 1966, F14.
- 1187 *SPECULIPASTOR BICOLOR* MAGPIE STARLING
 *T One collected from - flock of 20 to 30 on the Moshi-Tanga road, ca. 15 km north of Mkomazi, K4.
 *U Recorded from Mt. Moroto in J1.
- 1212 *SPREO ALBICAPILLUS* WHITE-CROWNED STARLING
 *K Recorded from North Horr. This population has been described as a new race, *horrensis*, K2.
- 1199 *SPREO UNICOLOR* ASHY STARLING
 *K Recorded from Lake Jipe, southeast of Kilimanjaro, just inside Kenya by van Someren in J1.

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APPENDIX

Since the compilation of the main text the following records have come to light. The references here are given in full.

- 6 *HYDROBATES LEUCORHOA* LEACH'S PETREL
K Kilifi: two, about 15 km offshore, December 1973. G. R. Cunningham-van Someren, 1974. *EANHS Bull.* 1974:19.
- 9 *PUFFINUS LHERMINIERI* PERSIAN GULF SHEARWATER
K Kilifi: numerous at sea, 16 to 22 December 1973. G. R. Cunningham-van Someren, 1974. *EANHS Bull.* 1974:19.
- (10 *PUFFINUS PACIFICUS* WEDGE-TAILED SHEARWATER
*K Watamu: probable, 4 km offshore, 6 January 1974. L. H. Brown, 1974. *EANHS Bull.* 1974:23.)
- (30 *FREGATA ARIEL* LESSER FRIGATE-BIRD
*T Dar es Salaam: probable immature 25 km north of city off Ras Kiomboni on 3 June 1973. W. G. Harvey, 1973. *EANHS Bull.* 1973:100-101.)
- 166 *BUTEO RUFINUS* LONG-LEGGED BUZZARD
K Taveta: one, 5 km east of town, 3 November 1973. Kinangop: one, 19 October 1973.
U Gulu: one, 2 October 1967.
Kidepo National Park: four on 24, two on 22 March 1970. D. A. Turner and A. D. Forbes-Watson, 1974. *EANHS Bull.* 1974:2-3.
- 119 *FALCO VESPERTINUS* RED-FOOTED FALCON
K Ng'iya, Central Nyanza: one male, and possibly another bird, 15 October 1972. P. L. & H. A. Britton, 1973. *EANHS Bull.* 1973:94-95.
- 269 *CHARADRIUS ALEXANDRINUS* KENTISH PLOVER
K Ferguson's Gulf, Lake Rudolf: two, 16 March 1973. A. J. Hopson, 1974. *EANHS Bull.* 1974:18.
- 307B *LIMICOLA FALCINELLUS* BROAD-BILLED SANDPIPER
K Ferguson's Gulf, Lake Rudolf: Up to nine between 8 September and 15 October 1972; up to six from August to November 1973. T. & J. Hopson, 1973. *EANHS Bull.* 1973:52; 1974. *EANHS Bull.* 1974:33.
Sabaki River Mouth, Coast: up to nine, August 1973. P. L. & H. A. Britton, 1973. *EANHS Bull.* 1973:146-147.
- TRYNGITES SUBRUFICOLLIS* BUFF-BREASTED SANDPIPER
*K Lake Rudolf: one seen on west shore just north of Kerio River delta on 8 December 1973. A. J. & J. Hopson, 1974. *EANHS Bull.* 1974:17-18.
This species has not previously been recorded in the Ethiopian faunal region.
- (324 *PHALAROPUS FULICARIUS* GREY PHALAROPE
*T Latham Island, North Coast: a phalarope, thought to be this species seen off the island on 22 November 1972. T. Mathews, 1973. *EANHS Bull.* 1973:18-20.)
- 339 *LARUS ARGENTATUS* HERRING GULL
*K Malindi: one seen in December by A. Gille. P. L. Britton & L. H. Brown, 1974. The Status and Breeding of East African Lari. *Ostrich*, 45:63-82.
Coast: other records to be documented later. P. L. Britton, 1974. *EANHS Bull.* 1974:59.
- 343 *LARUS ICHTHYAETUS* GREAT BLACK-HEADED GULL
*K Lake Nakuru: two, 14 July 1973. D. A. Turner, 1973. *EANHS Bull.* 1973:138-139. (However, vide P. L. Britton, 1974. *EANHS Bull.* 1974:59.)
Malindi: immature, 19 January & 2 February 1974. P. L. Britton & P. Duffus, 1974. *EANHS Bull.* 1974:51-52.
- 354 *STERNA SANVICENSIS* SANDWICH TERN
*K (Jadini, South Coast: probable, 23 and 24 April 1973. G. Madge, 1974. *EANHS Bull.* 1974:30.)
Sabaki River Mouth, North Coast: one, 22 December 1973. P. L. Britton, 1974. *EANHS Bull.* 1974:30-31.
- 338 *STERCORARIUS POMARINUS* POMARINE SKUA
*K Mombasa: pale phase adult at Nyali Beach on 7 December 1974. Peter & Hazel Britton, 1974. *EANHS Bull.* 1974:4-5.
Immature at Likoni Ferry on 9 January 1974. C. F. Mann, 1974. *EANHS Bull.* 1974:31.
- 548 *CAPRIMULGUS PECTORALIS* FIERY-NECKED NIGHTJAR
K Bar Olengo, Central Nyanza: heard in September 1971 and on subsequent occasions. It is thought to be the form *nigroscapularis* which occurs in Uganda, but no specimen has been obtained. Peter & Hazel Britton, 1973. *EANHS Bull.* 1973:158-159.
- 780 *FICEDULA ALBICOLLIS* WHITE-COLLARED FLYCATCHER
*K Ng'iya, Central Nyanza: ♀, unraced, collected on 2 October 1972 is now in the National Museum, Nairobi. P. L. & H. A. Britton, 1973. *EANHS Bull.* 1973:94.
Mara River: male of race *semitorquata* seen on 3 March 1974. C. F. Mann, 1974. *EANHS Bull.* 1974:78.

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